

OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER

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## LETTER TO COMMISSION

TO:

Mayor Philip Levine and Members of the City Commission

FROM:

Jimmy L. Morales, City Manager

DATE:

May 28, 2014

SUBJECT: SPECIAL OLYMPICS FLORIDA "SUMMER GAMES"

We are pleased to inform you that our Parks and Recreation Adult Special Population Athletes were victorious at the 2014 Special Olympics Florida's "Summer Games". This is the largest annual event held by the Special Olympics where athletes compete in track & field, bocce, cycling, soccer, tennis and volleyball. The event took place at the ESPN Wide World of Sports Complex in Orlando, Florida on May 16<sup>h</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup>.

Proudly Jose Trevino repeated his 2013 efforts and received a Gold Medal in the soccer competition. Brian Crapp also returned strong and medaled again this year, earning a Bronze Medal and Raymond Bogato successfully placed 5th in soccer as well.

In the tennis competition, Clarice Geller brought home a Bronze Medal for a second straight year.

The City of Miami Beach congratulates the athletes on an outstanding performance!

Should you have any questions, please contact John Rebar at (305) 673 -7730.

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Mark Taxis, Assistant City Manager John Rebar, Parks & Recreation Director Elizabeth Valera, Acting Assistant Director

## **2014 SPECIAL OLYMPICS FLORIDA**

## "SUMMER GAMES"



(Pictured left to right: Raymond Bogato, Brian Crapp, Jose Polo (Parks Staff) Jose Trevino and Clarice Geller)